



Los Angeles Regional Collaborative for Climate Action and Sustainability

The Los Angeles Regional Collaborative for Climate Action and Sustainability is a network designed to encourage greater coordination and cooperation at the local and regional levels by bringing together leadership from government, the business community, academia, labor, environmental and community groups. The purpose of this collaboration is to share information, foster partnerships, and develop system-wide strategies to address climate change and promote a green economy through sustainable communities.

PURPOSE

LARC is built to achieve three primary goals: (1) CLIMATE ACTION, (2) PROMOTE A GREEN ECONOMY, (3) BUILD SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES. To accomplish these goals, LARC works to:

- ♦ Improve cross-jurisdictional communication
- ♦ Facilitate regional planning on greenhouse gas emissions and climate adaptation
- ♦ Coordinate regional fundraising opportunities
- ♦ Coordinate responses to state and federal regulation
- ♦ Coordinate efforts with land-use, transportation, infrastructure, energy, and resource management

ACTIONS

In order to succeed, LARC leads the region in working together to plan, build partnerships, work together to leverage resources, share information and best practices, and engage and inform stakeholders.

PROCESS & PRODUCTS

- A. Coordination
- B. Planning
- C. Resources
- D. Engagement

A GREATER L.A.

THE FRAMEWORK FOR REGIONAL CLIMATE ACTION AND SUSTAINABILITY

Regional action is built upon a foundation of expertise and knowledge. Using this knowledge, LARC is spearheading an ambitious Regional Climate Action and Sustainability Plan that incorporates the best science, coordinated strategies, and effective recommendations to help Greater Los Angeles achieve greater resiliency and sustainability.

The regional [Framework](#) will:

1. Provide strategies for [mitigation](#) of the emission of climate change-causing greenhouse gases.
2. Assess the impacts of climate change and outline [adaptation](#) measures to cope.
3. Outline a path towards [sustainable economic growth](#) for communities throughout Greater L.A.

LARC MEMBERS

County of Los Angeles, City of Los Angeles, City of Santa Monica, L.A. County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, South Bay Cities Council of Governments, Westside Cities Council of Governments, UCLA Institute of the Environment and Sustainability, USC SeaGrant, Council for Watershed Health, Climate Resolve, ClimatePlan, Rivers and Mountains Conservancy, ICLEI-Local Governments for Sustainability
